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In re Application of:)
Robert K. Ellis II))
Serial No. 09/954,447) Examiner Eugene H. Eickholt)
Filing Date: September 14, 2001) Group Art Unit No. 2854 ·)
For: Methods and Materials for Producing an Image, and Articles Comprising Materials for Producing an Image))))

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this communication.

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